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1. Small vessels [redacted] were built on a roofed slip of the Petrozavod Shipyard in Leningrad. They had straight docks which sloped off down to the water level, with only small stages left standing at the sides. Several launchings were observed. Work was continued when the vessels were afloat. None of the six or seven vessels lying there had funnels or superstructures. [redacted]
2. Nova passenger vessels were lying in the mouth of the Okhta River awaiting repairs in the shipyard, which was guarded by naval personnel. Naval men who also worked there were seen wearing uniforms when leaving the shipyard in the evening. **

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Comment. Petrozavod Shipyard had been designated number 370 in 1938. It is located on the eastern bank of the Neva River on the spit which is formed by the Neva River and the Okhta River, which flows into it. For location sketch, see Annex. The sketch was made on the basis of a 1:25,000-scale town plan. The installations of the shipyard provided for the construction of, and repairs to, torpedo-boats, mine-sweepers, tugs, small river steamers, floating workshops and sea-going practice targets. Up to ten torpedo-boats, two minesweepers, two sea-going targets, and four floating workshops can be started building simultaneously. The yearly peacetime output of the shipyard was about 12 tugs, 2 or 3 floating workshops and 2 minesweepers.

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Annex: Location Sketch of Petrozavod Shipyard in Leningrad

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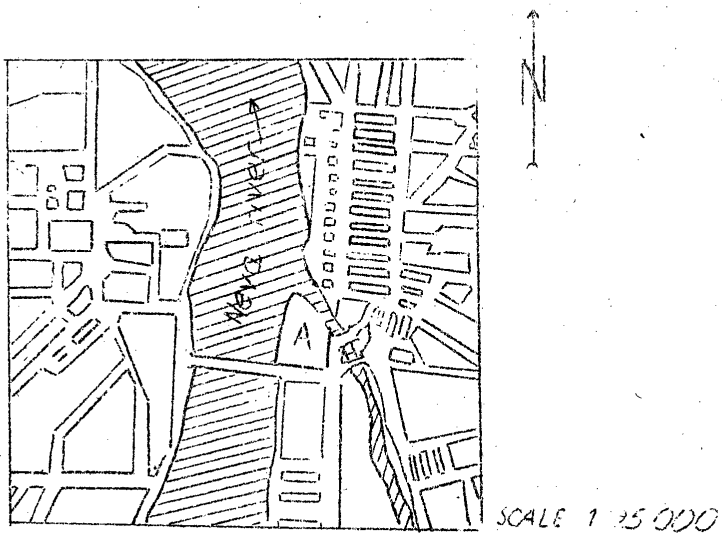
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Petrozavod Shipyard in Leningrad



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